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Pearson Not Convincing

Drew Pearson's pitch Jan. 12 that Vice President Lyndon Johnson *opposed* President Kennedy's trip to Texas won't convince many long-memoried readers of Dallas newspapers during 1963.

On April 23-24, 1963, *both* of the Dallas dailies featured front page stories on an interview LBJ held with local editors and politicians following his speech to a NASA convention at noon on the 23d.

The highlight of the interview was LBJ's urging to the city's political leaders to push for a visit to Dallas by President Kennedy — during the coming summer if possible, or sometime in 1963.

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